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In re Application of Saleh et al. Application No.10/673,776 Filed: September 29, 2003

ON PETITION

Title of Invention: Contact Manipulation and

Retrieval System

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 10, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely submit a response to the nonfinal Office Action mailed October 3, 2006. The Notice set an extendable 3 month period for reply. No extensions of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application was held abandoned on January 4, 2007. This decision precedes the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment.

This petition is hereby **GRANTED**.

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The Office acknowledges receipt of the amendment submitted with the petition.

. This application is being forwarded to Technology Center 2600 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3215.

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